



# Medicaid School-Based Services

## Updates and Information

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# Framing Today's Session



- Housekeeping
- Introductions
- MAC Representatives
- Using the one-time consent form
- DD Eligibility Assessments
- Rules
- DD statewide collaborative meetings
- Medicaid SBS Reference Guide

# Housekeeping

- Lots of topics
- Parking lot

# Introductions



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# Tell us who you are...Poll Everywhere



## Tell us about yourself. What do you do?

 Respond at **PollEv.com/karrenstreag237**  Text **KARRENSTREAG237** to **37607** once to join, then **A, B, C, D, or E**

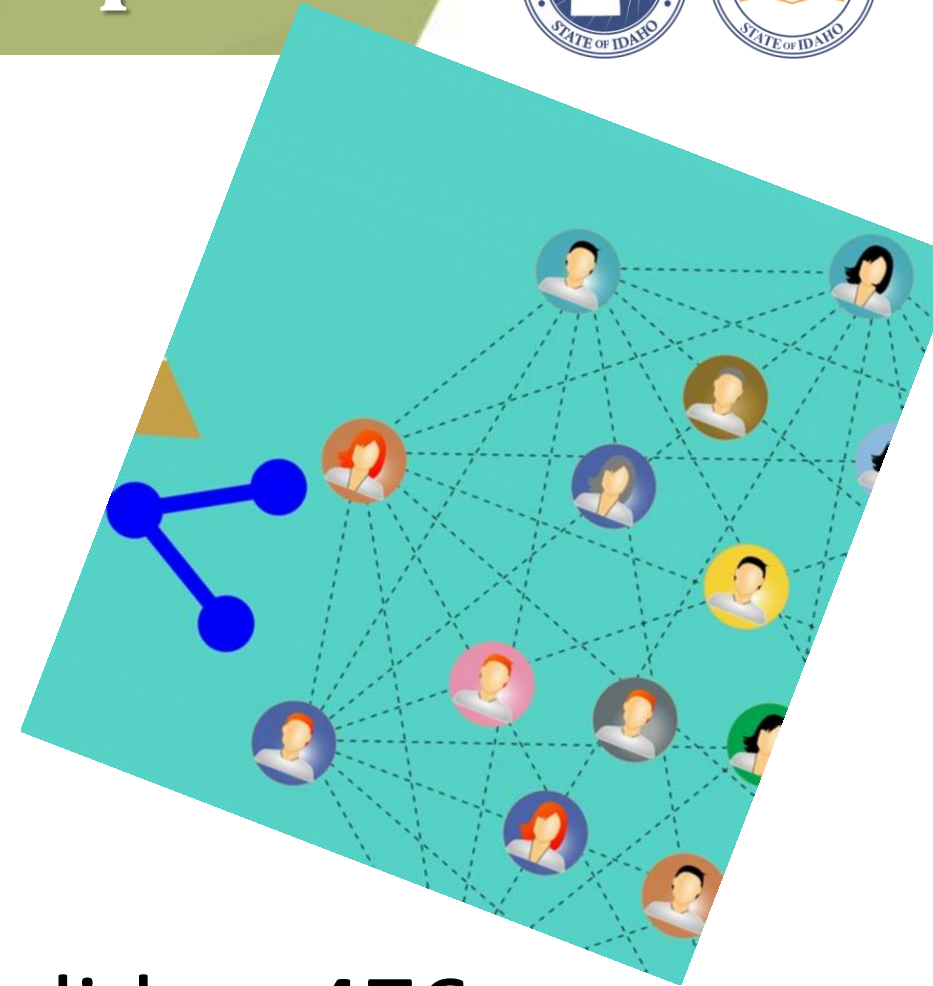
 Answers to this poll are anonymous

Federal Programs Director	<b>A</b>
Principal	<b>B</b>
Special Education Director	<b>C</b>
Teacher	<b>D</b>
Other	<b>E</b>

# Medicaid Advisory Committee Reps



- Region 1: Joy Jansen, 84
- Region 2: Lori Ravet, 341
- Region 3: Julie Mead, 132
- Region 4: Kindel Mason, 261
- Region 5: Dave Miner, 25
- Region 6: Travis Schwab, 321
- Virtual Charter School: Laura Sandidge, 476
- Traditional Charter School: Jared Bissen, 498



# Using the One-Time Consent Form



- One-time consent at each district
- Should be explained to parents
- Billing for School-Based Services does not affect funding for other Medicaid services
- Written Notice Regarding Use of Public Benefits
- Providing name of primary care physician
  - Must ask
  - Not required for school to bill

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Student Name:  District ID:  State ID:  Grade:  Sex:

Native Lang:  Ethnicity:  Birthdate:  Age:

District:  School:  Phone:

# The Form



## THE MEDICAID SCHOOL-BASED SERVICES PROGRAM IN IDAHO:

- Provides partial reimbursement to school districts for health-related special education and related services such as evaluations, assessments, speech therapy, physical therapy, occupational therapy, nursing, personal care, orientation and mobility, specialized medical transportation, and assistive technology services.
- Does NOT affect a family's or child's Medicaid insurance benefits and there is NO cost to the family, now or in the future.
- Helps Idaho school districts offset some of the costs of health care provided to children.
- Is voluntary and requires a parent/guardian to provide written consent to release information about their child to a Medicaid billing agent to obtain reimbursement. This may include current or past assessments and evaluations, current or past IEPs, dates of school attendance, and progress notes from individuals providing the school-based services.

☐ I DO NOT give consent for the School District to bill Medicaid for covered services in my child's education program.

☐ I DO give consent for the School District to bill Medicaid for covered services in my child's education program. I authorize the School District to release information to the Medicaid billing agent for eligibility verification, billing and auditing regarding any health-related school-based services provided to my child.

Student's Name as it Appears on Medicaid card:

Student Medicaid ID:

## I UNDERSTAND AND ACKNOWLEDGE THE FOLLOWING FEDERAL PROVISIONS: 34 CFR 300.154(d)(2)(iv)

- I have received written notification from the School District that explains my federal rights regarding the use of public benefits or insurance to pay for school-based services provided to my child that are identified on my child's IEP or IFSP.
- I only need to give permission one time, and I will be informed annually of my rights.
- I may request a copy of my child's records that are shared with the Medicaid billing agent.
- I may withdraw my permission in writing at any time by notifying
- If I withdraw my permission it will apply to any billing for school-based services from that date forward and all services identified on my child's IEP or IFSP will still be provided at no cost to me.

## I UNDERSTAND THAT BEFORE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY BILL MEDICAID FOR SCHOOL-BASED SERVICES RECEIVED BY MY CHILD, IDAHO STATE REGULATIONS REQUIRE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO: IDAPA 16.03.09.854.8

- Request the name of my child's primary care physician from me; and
- Request written consent from me to release and obtain information between my child's primary care physician and the School District.

☐ I DO give written consent for the School District to release and obtain information with my child's primary care physician whose name is:

☐ I DECLINE to provide the name of my child's primary care physician and I DO NOT give written consent for the School District to release and obtain information with my child's primary care physician. I understand my refusal to give consent does not prevent the School District from billing Medicaid.

Parents give or do not give consent


Written notification given to parents

Written notification given to parents

# New & Improved - Clarification



- Clarifications on the Idaho Training Clearinghouse

 IDAHO TRAINING  
Clearinghouse

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Clarifications

Search Something...

- Assessment and Evaluation Behavioral Intervention/Behavioral Consultation Billing/CPT Codes/Fee Schedule CBRS PCS/Nursing Rule Making
- Therapies – OT, PT, SLP

Date	Title	Source	Categories	
September 13, 2018	PRA Certification 30-Months Timeline	IDAPA 16.03.09.855.10.k.ii	CBRS	<a href="#">Details</a>
September 13, 2018	IQ Score Required for Related Condition to ID	IDAPA 16.03.10.501	Behavioral Intervention/Behavioral Consultation	<a href="#">Details</a>
September 07, 2018	Signature Requirements on SDR	IDAPA 16.03.09.854.03	Behavioral Intervention/Behavioral Consultation, CBRS	<a href="#">Details</a>

# DD Eligibility Assessment



- Battelle Developmental Inventory, Second Edition (BDI-2): birth – 95 months
- Scales of Independent Behavior-Revised (SIB-R): birth - adult
- Mullen Scales of Early Learning (MSEL): birth – 3 years
- **Vineland Adaptive Behavior Scales, Third Edition (Vineland-3): birth – 90 years**





# New Rule

- 30-day look back
- Obtain signature before billing
- Signature received – bill back 30 days
- Examples
  - 15 days
  - 45 days

# Temporary Rule



- Paraprofessional Qualifications
- Removed additional language from School-Based Services
- Aligns School-Based Services qualifications with community qualifications



# Proposed Rule



- CBRS definitions
- Adding skills-building
- Aligns School-Based Services qualifications with community services





# DD Statewide Collaborative Meetings





- Gathering stakeholder input
- Working on rules that impact SBS and Community
- Schedule updated regularly

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**CHILD DD INFO**  
for FAMILIES

**ADULT DD INFO**  
for FAMILIES & INDIVIDUALS

**INFORMATION**  
for PROVIDERS

**ELIGIBILITY & APPLY**  
FOR SERVICES

**Developmental Disabilities**

Adult DD Care Management

Self-Direction

Housing and Living Supports

Children's DD Services

Family-Directed Services

Service Coordination for Children

Eligibility and Apply for Services

Crisis Prevention and Court Services (CPCS)

### Children's DD Services Enhancement Project

Project Information

Stakeholders

FAQs & Resources


Idaho Medicaid received guidance from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) about changes in Federal law that will require Idaho Medicaid to make changes in how Children's Developmental Disabilities (DD) Services are offered. Currently, Medicaid provides services for children with developmental disabilities through waivers granted by the federal government. With the new changes, states are being required to offer intervention services for Children's Developmental Disabilities through Medicaid State Plans.


To assist in aligning with Federal law, Medicaid in collaboration with Family and Community Services (FACS) has established the Children's DD Services Enhancement Project with a primary goal of moving intervention services into the Idaho Medicaid State Plan by July 1, 2019. To ensure success Medicaid and FACS recognize the importance of engaging stakeholders from the beginning to the end of the project.


This website has been established to provide ongoing information about the project and will include updates, FAQs, timelines, training opportunities, and recommendations. If you have questions or would like to request addition information fill out the contact form at the right hand side of this page.


**Rulemaking**

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 Rules

 Presentations

 Schedule

 Letters

**Current Services**

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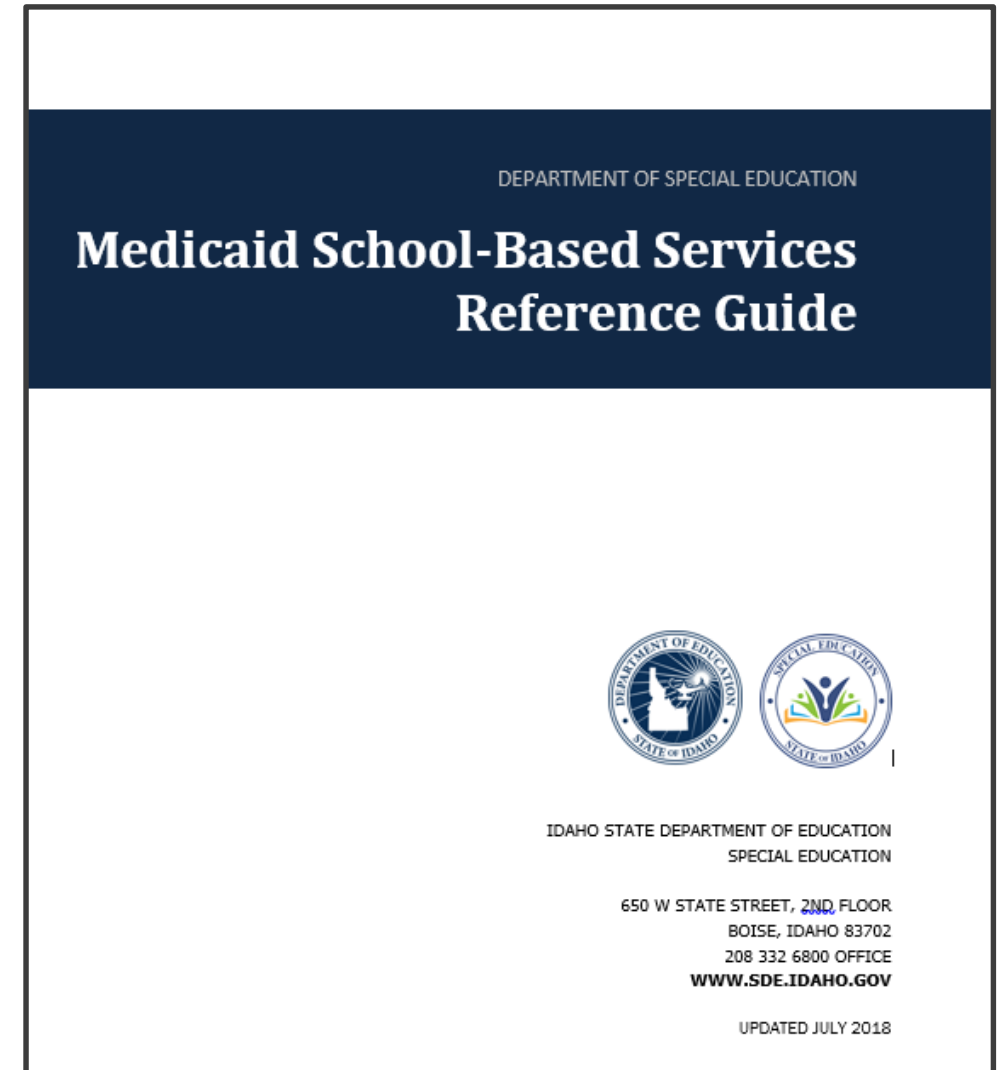
**Contact Us**

Email Address:

# Medicaid SBS Reference Guide



- New name
- July 2018 update
- Waiting on accessibility
- ITC *Reference Guide & Support Documents*
- Accessible forms to be posted on ITC
- 2017 Guidance Handbook still current & available



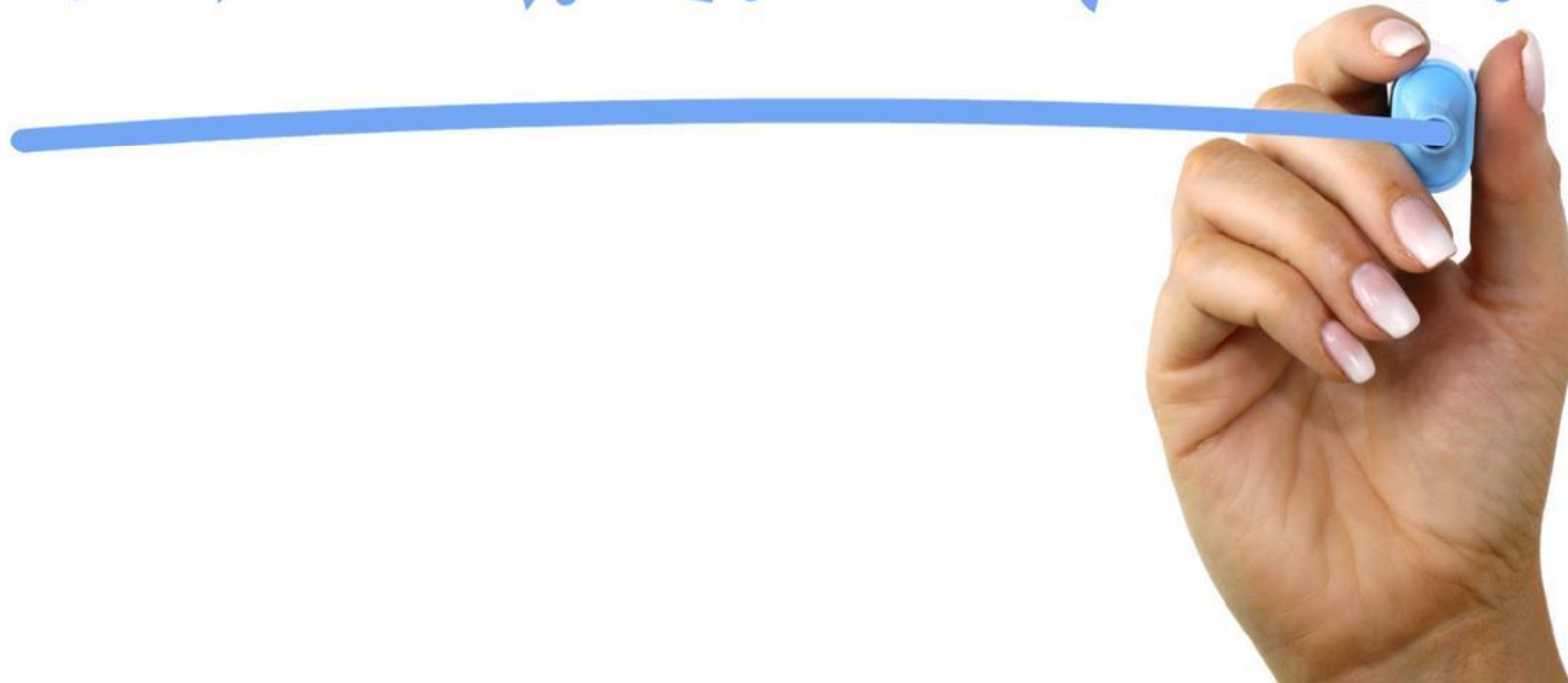
# What questions to you have?



We appreciate your time & attention



THANK YOU



# Please feel free to contact us with any questions

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